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1. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Respectfully submitted,

Antony P. Ng

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Sir:

The present Amendment is submitted in reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated October 12, 2005, having a shortened statutory period set to expire January 12, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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